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11. (Amended) An information storage device as claimed in claim 17, wherein the mask is perforated with holes of diameter 1 to 5mm and has a thickness of 0.5 to 2.5 times the diameter of the holes.

Add new claims 12-23 as follows.

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12. A film according to claim 1, wherein the photosensitive organic compound is dispersed at molecular level in a coating of a polymer which is compatible with the compound but does not reach with it nor cause it to crystallise nor substantially absorb light of wavelengths to which the photosensitive compound is sensitive.

13. A film according to claim 1, which bears the coating containing a photosensitive organic compound on one side and is metallised on its reverse side.

14. A film according to claim 1, wherein the filler is a white pigment.

15. A film according to claim 1, which has a diffuse reflectivity of at least 85% and a specular reflectivity of no more than 3%, based on the reflectivity of a standard barium sulphate plate.

16. A film according to claim 1, containing from 0.5 to 2% by weight based on the coating of a non-photosensitive, light-absorbing compound.

17. An information storage device comprising in combination:
(a) a plastics film filled with a filler and having diffuse reflective properties, the film bearing a coating which contains a photosensitive organic compound; and
(b) a perforated mask disposed on a coating-bearing side of the film.

18. A laminate comprising a plastics film filled with titania filler and having a diffuse reflectivity of at least 85% and a specular reflectivity of no more than 3%, based on the reflectivity of a standard barium sulphate plate, and a polystyrene coating containing a photochromic fulgide.

19. A method for the manufacture of a photosensitive plastics film filled with a filler and having diffuse reflective properties, the film bearing a polymeric coating which contains a photosensitive organic compound, wherein the polymer and photosensitive compound are dissolved in a solvent and the composition so formed is applied to the film by a printing technique.

20. A method according to claim 19, wherein the composition is applied to the film by gravure printing.

21. A method according to claim 19, wherein the side of the film not coated by the composition is metallised prior to said coating step.

22. A method according to claim 19, wherein the composition is applied to the film in the form of spots.

23. A method according to claim 22, wherein the composition is applied to the film as an array of circular spots disposed in groups, with the groups being disposed in a regular square array.

REMARKS

Upon entry of this preliminary amendment, the claims pending are claims 1-3, 5, and 11-23. New claims 12-18 are supported throughout the specification and by original claims 4, and 6-10, respectively, and have eliminated multiple dependencies. New claims 19-21 are supported on page 4, lines 27-32, of the application. New claim 22 is supported on page 5, lines 24-28, of the application.